HORATIO SEYMOUR, OF NEW YORK. FOR VICE-PRESIDENT: GEN. FRANK P. BLAIR,

OF MISSOURI.

FOR PRESIDENT:

A Reconstructed State,

We call the attention of our readers to an article copied from the National Intelligencer, occasioned by the publication of the "Police Bill," introduced into the Legislature of this State by the Rev. Welker, the Senator from Guilford. This bill we have published and directed attention to its provisions. We believe it is fully the intention of the contemptible carpet-baggers to incite the negroes of this State to acts of hostility and bloodshed, but we they will not be permitted to escape the consequences of their cowardice and maturmoil will be held to a strict responsibil- other four Commissioners elect. ity for their devilish advice and influence.

Philadelphia.

We have received a letter from a friend in Philadelphia, who formerly resided in this city, congratulating us upon the enthusiasm with which the nomination of SEYMOUR and BLAIR has been received tion which the Platform has given. He is rejoiced at the enthusiasm manifested at the Ratification Meeting in this city, reminding him of the happy days gone by.

The letter contains the assurance, based upon the opinions of well-informed men, thousand Democratic majority and the State of Pennsylvania is certain for SEY-MOUR and BLAIR by a large majority.

This hopeful message is confirmed from all quarters. Appearances all indicate the down of the Radicals of Congress during elected and appointed Sheriff of --- county the last week of the session, the first real indications of a want of confidence in the cepts to him directed, and pay and satisfy all fees advisable to make a sure thing of it and ble could have been devised than the abo- incident to the calling out of the force are reading and was ordered to be engrossed. By Hayes, (negro): A bill in reference they believe their success is doubtful, and that it is necessary to "grow circum- administrators, attorneys, or agents, and in all spect" in their aggressive policy. Let us go to work with good heart; the skies are a peaceful and prosperous solution of our stern and powerful voice of the people at this act, but all official acts done by such officer baggers" would not last six months, and the ballot-box.

The State Convention, We trust our people are fully aware of

the importance of the Convention to assemble in Raleigh on the 13th of August. It will mark the beginning of the active work of the campaign, and the character of that body, both as to talent and members, will have a powerful influence upon the canvass and the result. It is impossible to work with effect without organization. Confidence in strength and in the justice of a thorough and efficient organization will do even more. As well might the mob, relying upon its numbers and the enthusiasm of the individuals composing it, attempt to meet the compact and well organized line of battle which well drilled troops present, tion of the people will do much, but withtroops, that confidence, which the true soldier feels, as shoulder to shoulder he marches to the conflict, will be lost.

Let every county organize their clubs ; let good and true men be sent to the State Convention, and demand that they shall at-There are times and circumstances in the life of men and of States which require of citizens some attention to their poitical duties. We have no need for men now who stand back to reap the fruits of the labors of others, and are deterred themselves from fear of defeat. We want and must have active, determined and unselfish

workers, who will do right because they love the right and honor justice. Away with all timid time-servers. If such men as they are presented to us. We must meet our foes upon high ground, and demand victory by virtue of superior claims and or-

ful notes of preparation are heard. Clubs, societies, meetings, speeches and work, WORK, WORK are the order of the day. stitution of this State, or shall wilfully violate secrated with more confidence and enthusiasm,

From all portions of the State the cheer-

and with more hope, active, energetic hope, of a successful issue.

ganized strength.

Let primary meetings be held in every neighborhood. Let SEYMOUR and BLAIR repealed. Clubs be organized. Send delegates to the State Convention, and when that body shall have acted, when it shall have adopted a plan of campaign and nominated electors, let every Democrat and Conservative in the State regard the success of this canvass as depending upon his individual exertions, and then victory is assured.

In most of the counties delegates have pointed for that purpose. All the others neglect political matters. The condition dance is expected—speeches will be made, all the friends of Democracy are respectof our county and city is such as to appeal fully invited. to every patriotic citizen. No people are suffering more from the tyranny of Radicalism. Miserable and profligate strangers, without name and without character, represent us in the councils of the State, fill our local offices, adjudge and collect our taxes, impose fines and penalties upon our citizens, and will soon provide the only protection for life and property vouchever men had incentive for earnest action, we have; if people ever had much to hope

deed, these vindictive carpet-baggers and their travestie upon government which they have inaugurated, will vanish

Like the baseless fabric of a vision, And leave not a rack behind."

Qualification of Officers. We are in receipt of an official copy of the "Act to provide for the qualification of certain officers recently elected under the provisions of the Constitution of the State of North Carolina." We have refrained from publishing the bili for fear of misleading those interested. The Act below is from the office of the Secretary of State and may be relied on as correct :

AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE QUALIFICATION OF CERTAIN OFFICERS RECENTLY ELECTED UNDER THE PROVISIONS OF THE CONSTITU-TION OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA. The General Assembly of North Carolina de

SECTION 1. That it shall be the duty of County Commissioners elect in each county respectively to meet immediately and designate one of their number, who shall at once go before a Judge of land. the Supreme or Superior Court, United States Commissioner, or any other officer of the United States authorized to administer an oath, or before can assure them that when that day comes a County Commissioner of any other county, who fied by taking the oath prescribed in section four, article six, of the Constitution of this State; and lignity, but these promoters of discord and forthwith proceed to qualify, in like manner, the

Sec. 2 That the Board of County Commissioners elect, thus constituted, shall without delay law, as specified in the Revised Code, for the due the terms of the present appointees will practice had procedure." discharge of their duties, from such of the officers bonds, and shall cause the said bonds to be re- useless. corded by the Register of Deeds, in a separate book, to be known as the registry of official bonds throughout the country, and the satisfac- and the original of said bonds shall also be filed in the office of the Clerk of the Superior Court, except the bond of said Clerk of the Superior Court, which shall be filed in the office of the Register of Deeds, and no officer shall be surety on any bond required to be filed in his office: Provided, The Sheriff shall execute three several bonds payable to the State of North Carolina ; one in the sum of twice the amount of the county and poor taxes for the preceding year, conditione 1 for the collection, payment and settlement of the the sum of twice the amount of the public taxes paid by the county for the preceding year, conditioned for the collection, payment and settlement of the public taxes as required by law Provided further, That neither of the aforesaid ena of the human heart. We shall bonds shall exceed the amount of such bonds as more to say of these men hereafter. required by existing law; and the third in the sum of five thousand dollars, conditioned as folsuccess of our candidates. The backing lows: "the condition of the above obligation is such that, whereas, the above bounden ---- is

___ if, therefore, he shall well and truly execute and due return make of all process and prepeople to sustain their revolutionary and sums of money by him received, or levied by cast the electoral vote of the Southern lition of the County Courts, and the subschemes, gives the surest evidence that which the same by the tenor thereof ought to be States through the Legislatures already stitution of two Superior Courts in the nity in which the disturbance arises. Any ten ter of the Northwestern North Carolina color, into theatres and all other public schemes, gives the surest evidence that which the same by the tenor thereof ought to be paid, or to the person or persons to whom the other things well, truly and faithfully execute the otherwise to remain in full force and effect: bright and brightening. There is hope for Provided, That the Commissioners and other county officers who have heretofore been qualified by other means than those prescribed in this present difficulties and dangers in the act, shall requalify according to the provisions of heretofore in good faith, shall be deemed valid in

SEC. 3. That a majority of the Board of County Commissioners shall have power to perform the sufficiency of any bond required by this act, shall be certified by endorsement of such bond by each member of said Board assenting thereto, and if any bond with insufficient sureties be taken of any officer by said Board, or by a majority acting assenting to such sufficiency, shall himself be able in all respects, as a surety on such bond, titled to sue on said bond, but the Commissioners shall not be liable if they act in good faith, and

cause will do much to insure success, but within twenty days after receiving notice from the aforesaid Board to appear and qualify, it shall be cess, but that, as the election of Grant the duty of said Board to declare the office of the said officer elect or appointed vacant, and to take said vacancy filled in the manner prescribed by the Constitution and laws of this State. SEC. 5. That the Solicitor in each Judicial Dis-

trict of the State shall be qualified by the Judge of the Superior Court of said Judicial District by as for the Democrats to go into the canvass Judge in said Judicial District, then the Solicitor without system and concert of action. We may be qualified by the Judge of some other J know that the enthusiasm and determina- fail for insufficient reasons to qualify within twenty days after notice from the Judge of said Disout a plan of battle and well disciplined the Judge aforesaid to declare the office of the said officer elect, vacunt, and to report the said vacancy to the Governor. SEC. 6. All officers herein mentioned, including

the County Commissioners when they are quali-fied as herein directed, shall be furnished by the We have made officers qualifying them with certificates duly signed, stating the fact of their having been qualfied and the date when, together with the office cates shall be recorded in the office of the Regis- their chief opponents, extending not only ter of Deeds, who shall endorse upon each certificate the book and page of the book on which the Sec. 7. That all persons now holding offices of

trust or profit in this State shall, immediately afer demand is made and the aforesaid certificate essors chosen under the present Constitution of this State, turn over to their said successors all moneys, books, papers, processes, executions, and State, for the year 1868, and all other effects hereby authorized to retain the fees and commiswere ever useful, the day has past and we the Register of Deeds shall be deemed the sucty Treasurer shall be deemed the successor of the

SEC. 8. No person prohibited from holding office under any State by section three of the States, known as Article Fourteen, shall qualify Sec. 9. That any person, now holding an office of trust or profit, who shall wilfully fail or refuse to comply with the requirements of section seven, in relation to turning over the appurtenances of Hill. his office to his successor under the present Con-

We have never known a campaign inaugu- tion eight of this act, shall be liable to indictment for a high misdemeanor, and on conviction shall be fined not less than one thousand dollars nor over five thousand dollars, or imprisoned not exceeding two years, or both, at the discretion of SEC. 10. That all laws, and parts of laws, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby

> SEC. 11. That this act shall take effect from and after the date of its ratification. Ratified July 21, 1868. STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA,] OFFICE SECRETARY OF STATE,

Raleigh, July 21, 1868. I. HENRY J. MENNINGER, Secretary of State, do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original act on file in this oflice. HENRY J. MENNINGER,

For the Journal. people of New Hanover to remember the Richmond county, at the Court House in trates Courts. meeting on the 4th of August, in this city. Rockingham, on the 4th day of August, at Let no lethargy mark the beginning of the 5 o'clock, P. M., for the purpose of organ- Commissioners to report to the present contest here. We are in no position to izing a Democratic Club. A full atten- General Assembly "rules of practice and

Tyro-For Many Citizens.

For the Journal. Meesrs. Editors: It is to be hoped that New Hanover county will respond to the call for a nest in this momentous campaign. Let the New Hanover representatives on that occasion send a safed to us by the laws of the land. It chartered; a good band of music secured; suitable devices selected, &c., &c. We can also take up the Duplin and Sampson delegation-the cost vember next. Let us be successful, and, in- to the wheel and push it through with a vim.

Municipal Affairs,

Knowing that our Mayor and Board of Aldermen, in surrendering the municipal government of the city into the hands of the persons recently appointed Mayor and Aldermen by "Gov." Holden, acted from the highest motives of prudence and policy for the welfare of the citizens, we have no words of censure for them. They agree with us-in fact they were so advised by their legal counsel-that the act of the Legislature is void, and could not stand the test of the Courts, but acted from a disposition to do nothing to promote discord or excite party feeling. We fear, however, such considerations are thrown away upon the mercinary and vindictive partisans | stitution ? who control the party usurping place and power, and these concessions will rather invite new aggressions than serve to appease or conciliate the cormorants who

We cannot approve of the resolution of the County Commissioner thus qualified shall ties" threatened by the law. Brave solas are, or may be, required by law to give such have expired and the decision rendered

limited by the bounds of honor and truth, the face is one of the unexplained phenomena of the human heart. We shall have

Doubtful of the Negroes.

It seems now regarded by the Radicals in their recent caucuses in Washington as elected, and not permit the pecole of the

Congress the other day, that if Congress adjourned without arming the negroes the in the year, in each county, would keep unless he be an elector of the State, and ing the Speakers \$10 per day, Clerks \$7, governments established by "us carpet- the Judges on the Circuit forty-eight weeks, first take and subscribe the constitutional that the Radicals would lose the elections if the Democrats were allowed any show at Legislature cannot remedy the evil; this for twenty-four hours any person whatever duties imposed by this act upon said Board. The all. So we suppose they will determine can be effected only through a change in "for breach of the peace." "It shall be the election beforehand, by ordering the the Constitution. Legislatures to deprive the people of a

and subject to suit as such, by any person en- for GRANT. Their hopes of carrying the back-downs in the last days of the session which perpetrates the outrage. Civis. cers elected or appointed shall fail to give a suf- are now followed by their own confessions ficient bond or bonds, as required by this act, that things do not lock prosperous for sucsuch action at once as may be necessary to have be achieved, the shackled South is required Radical Legislatures, and the seventh, also in Alabama and South Carolina, have rict to appear and qualify, it shall be the duty of demonstrated that the negroes, like their white fellow-citizens, are "mighty unsartin," and prudence, if not justice, deman-

We have made the prediction, and we repeat it, that, after a few more elections, ate remarks. Col. N. A. McLean moved the colored people will find the Radicals that a committee of five be appointed by to political privileges, but to their civil

The University.

We learn that Colonel C. L. Harris, who is the Superintendent of Public Works elect, Holden's man Friday, has, by order of his master, taken charge of the buildwhatsoever pertaining to their respective offices, ings of the University, and that institution is now under military guard. The sions accrued up to the time of transfer: Pro- former military services of Colonel Harris vided, that, within the meaning of this section, have been confined to hunting Confederate must act upon the positive features of affairs | cessor of the late County Register, and the Coun- | deserters, and not sated with the glory he reputation" in another.

We understand this movement is caused by the impression that the members of the to remove their libraries from Chapel

COUNTY MEETING.

of New Hanover county in this city, on TUESDAY, AUGUST 4TH.

to appoint Delegates to the Democratic State Convention.

A full attendance is desired.

For the Journal. The New Judicial System-The Commission on "Rules of Practice and Proce-

dure "-The Recent "Corporation Act." Messrs. Editors: - Upon the adoption of the "new Constitution" the County Couris and the Superior Courts, as regulated already been selected or meetings ap- Democratic Meeting in Richmond County. under the old regime, ceased to exist, and Messrs. Editors: Please announce that we are now, in fact, without State Courts should act at once. We call upon the there will be a meeting of the citizens of of any description, save, perhaps, Magis-

> procedure" adapted to the changes in our judicial system contemplated by the new Constitution.

The Commissioners entered, of course, on their labors as soon as it was ascertained that the Constitution had been adopted by State Convention on the 13th proximo, in a man- a vote of the people. The wiseacres of the Club should be sent to him to register their common human nature. ner worthy of her past renown. Let us be in ear- late Convention declared that, in abolish- names. ing all distinctions between actions at law ray of hope over all the State. Let 200 delegates and equity, and in reducing all the old be appointed—and they must go. Let trains be forms of actions to one "which shall be denominated a civil action," they had succeeded in simplifying our legal proceedwill be little or nothing—every man can carry his ings. Their purpose evidently was to do for we have in a victory at the polls in November next. Let us be successful, and, into the wheel and push it through with a vim.

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two days rations. Let every one put his shoulder
to the wheel and push it through with a vim.

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Col. N. A. McLean moved that a meetother day.

be qualified to come to the bar, or sit upon ing be held in Lumberton, on Saturday, the bench.

of course, be as simple as the judicial sys- possible to attend on that day. Carried. tem of which they are to form a part .-The Commissioners have had now three Raleigh Convention, through their chairmonths to perform their work. Why, gentlemen for delegates: Uriah Pitman, then, are we left to grope in darkness Eli Wishart, W. S. Norment, Alex. H. Mcwithout any such "rules," without any Leod, D. F. Edmunds, H. T. Pope, E. guide as to the form of action, and with- Atkinson, Bright Williams, H. F. Pitman, out any knowledge even of the return day Dr. A McN. Leach, J. N. McArthur, John of a writ? If the old forms of action Hammond, Murdoch McRae, Murphy C. ceased to exist with the adoption of the new Constitution, there is not a lawyer in Eachern, D. S. Morrison, J. H. McEach-North Carolina who knows to-day the in, Dan'l McNutt, S. B. Tolar, Neill Mcproper form of a writ or of any other process. What have the Commissioners been W. Williams, Hector McNeill, R. B. Gregdoing since the adoption of the new Con-Radicalism has always an eye to the

main chance," and the members of the party are making the most of their present opportunities for public plunder. The "new Constitution" declares that "no seek to devour the substance of this fair person shall hold more than one public office under the State at the same time," journed until Wednesday, the 5th of Aubut provides that "Commissioners appointed for special purposes, shall not be the Board to test the constitutionality of considered officers within the meaning of has been previously qualified, and be duly quali- this law as citizens. It looks as if there this section." This proviso, if I mistake was a little fear of the "pains and penal- not, was introduced by one of the Comto his own case. So that the members of diers who are determined to fight would this Commission not only draw their sala- Independence and claim freedom for men hardly be silly enough to desert impregnatives as Judges, but \$200 a month each, be- who disown the doctrines of feudalism, of ble works and permit the enemy to occupy sides, as Commissioners. Under these cir- villeinage, and of slavery, and who deny cumstances we must expect that, consistent- that the civil liberty of ourselves and our proceed to qualify, in like manner as aforesaid, each and all the other county officers elected, or them before the battle begun. Before any ly with Radical principles, it will require forefathers was a pageant and a name, look appointed, including Justices of the Peace and Constables, and shall take the bonds required by decision could be reached in the Courts, some time longer to hatch the "rules of for yourselves at the State of North Caro-

growth of years, and was admirably adap- umn a bill which is pending now in the ted to the situation and wants of our peo- convocation of negroes and vagrants who, We take it, therefore, that we must abide, ple. Every attempted inroad had been under the patronage of the Congress of the as peaceful citizens, to the government of rejected by former Legislatures and Con- United States, call themselves the Legisla- cers; laid on the table. these men who have been forced, without law ventions, but a few men-wretched adventu- ture of that State. This precipe of bondrers-without prestige, without character, age provides : and contrary to the wishes of the people, up- without learning, banned from all respective of the Governor shall appoint, or- code of laws for the organization and mileage. on us. We are party men and can appreciate table society, and finding fellowship only ganize, and equip a force in each county maintenance of a system of free Schools the motives which actuate others in doing with negroes, overturned, in an hour, the equal to fifty men for each State represenall in their power for party success, always work of generations. We know very well tative, each twenty of whom to have a serthat these men could never have disgraced | geant, and each hundred a captain, and the the halls of the Capitol as legislators save whole to be under the management of a that the city of Philadelphia will give five county and poor taxes as required by law; one in but how men can occupy such positions for the enfranchisement of our former war department, consisting of a chief, and provements. and look the honest people of this city in slaves; but how white men-North Caroli- two assistants. This army is to be under nians—could be induced to follow in the the exclusive and plenary control of the Legislature the lead of characterless vaga- Governor, who may order any part of it at bonds, in destroying the time-honored in- his pleasure to any part of the State. The stitutions of their native State, is one of force is to be armed and uniformed, and those mysterious phenomena of history each man shall have a badge of authority. which can be accounted for only on the He shall have two dollars per day and principle "whom the Gods wish to destroy found; the chiefs to have annual salaries

they first make mad." Nothing more inconvenient or unsuita- ate officers an indefinite sum. All expenses year for every county, each Court with a electors have the power to call out this Railroad Company; referred to the comsession of two weeks. The General Assem- force, as well as any justice of the peace, mittee on Internal Improvements. 'reconstructed" States to vote for Presi- bly may, indeed, provide for more than sheriff, deputy sheriff, etc. This body of two Courts in the year for each county, but armed and licensed minions are expressly Carpet-bag Dewees said in his speech in this is almost impossible with two weeks to empowered to use all "necessary force" to next, at 11 o'clock. each Court, which the new Constitution preserve their authority. "No man shall requires. In some districts three Courts be an officer or private in this organization making only four weeks in the year for va- oath of office." Each member of the force, cation. A more senseless fundamental en- in addition to all ordinary police powers, actment cannot elsewhere be found. The may, a his sole discretion, arrest and hold

Formation of a Democratic Club in Lum

In accordance with a previous notice, the citizens assembled at the Academy in Lumto contribute her strength for this purpose. berton, Robeson county, N. C., on the Mecklenburg first proclaimed indepen-Consequently, as six of the States have 18th instant, at 71 o'clock, P. M., for the dence for America shall go down to the purpose of forming a Democratic Club for gloomy and merciless bondage of eight taking the oath aforesaid; and if there be no Georgia, is doubtful, it is decided to secure this Captain's District. The meeting was called to order by Col. N. A. McLean, who the conduct of the soldiers to be thus semoved that Col. J. A. Rowland, the appointed temporary Chairman, and Col. W. Foster French and Ed. McQueen, Secretaries, which motion was unanimously carried. The President then called on Col. N. A. McLean to explain the object of the

meeting, which he did in a few approprithe Chair to propose permanent officers and report resolutions for the Club. In accordance with this resolution, the Chair appointed the following committee: Col. N. A. McLean, Giles Leitch, Rory Mc-Nair, W. J. Myrover and George Red-

On motion of W. J. Myrover, the Club adjourned to meet in this Hall, on next Saturday, at 3 o'clock, P. M. COL. E. A. ROWLAND,

President pro tem. W. FOSTER FRENCH, | Sec'rs pro tem.

ED. McQUEEN, In accordance with a previous adjournment the Lumberton Democratic Club met

won in that field, he seeks the "bubble at the Male Academy, July 25th, 1868, Col. J. A. Rowland in the Chair. The Committee appointed at the last

meeting to propose permanent officers and resolutions for the Club, made the followtwo Literary Societies would do something ing report through their Chairman, Col. For President-Jas. T. Petteway.

For Vice-Presidents-Jesse Phillips, Calvin Flowers, A. Lawson, Col. T. J. Morrisey, Stephen Wiggins, Alex. Gunn, John T. Pope, Dr. R. M. Norment, B. Godwin, A. W. Fuller, Dr. W. A. Dick and Alex. McLeod.

For Corresponding Secretary-W. Foster French.

For Recording Secretary and Treasurer-Ed. McLeod.

The following are the resolutions

Resolved, That this organization shall be known as the Lumberton Democratic Club, and its offieers shall consist of one President, twelve Vice-Presidents, one Corresponding Secretary and one Recording Secretary, who shall act as Treasurer. Resolved, That we hereby endorse the princioles enunciated in the platform adopted by the National Democratic Convention, which assembled in New York July 4th, 1863, and that we pledge ourselves to support Horatio Seymour and Frank

P. Blair for the offices of President and Vice-President of the United States. Resolved. That inasmuch as the Radical party, now in power, have brought ruin on the country, the reins of government shall be wrested from their hands, and entrusted to those who will obey the Constitution, and observe the sanctity of their The late Convention appointed three and the Radical portion of the Legislature of North Carolina have given an earnest of a career of tyranny, oppression, vindictiveness and general reckleseness, despicable in itself and tending to

the certain ruin of a people already struggling under the weight of adversity. The officers and resolutions proposed by the committee were unanimously elected and adopted.

Giles Leitch moved that the recording Secretary keep the roll of the members, and that all men who wished to join the

Mr. Rory McNair moved that delegates be appointed at this meeting to represent this county in the Democratic State Convention, which will assemble in Raleigh on the 13th of August, 1868. Carried. On motion of Col. N. A. McLean, Messrs. Giles Leitch, Lemuel Taylor and K. At-

8th of August, to organize a Democratic GENERAL Club for the county, and that the Lumber-The rules of practice and procedure must, ton Ciub request as many of the citizens as

The committee to appoint delegates to man, Mr. Leitch, reported the following McNair, P. P. Smith, E. Lilly, D. O. Mc-Neill, William J. Regan, J. A. Rozin, Dr. ory and D. C. McIntyre.

On motion of Mr. Giles Leitch, Mr. Jas. T. Petteway was added to the delegates. Col. McLean moved the proceedings of this meeting, together with those of the preceding meeting, be published in the Wilmington Journal. On motion of Mr. Leitch, the Club ad-

gust, 74 o'clock, P. M. J. A. ROWLAND, Pres't pro tem. W. FOSTER FRENCH, | Secretaries.

E. A. McQueen, From the National Intelligencer.

A Reconstructed State. Ye who fondly revere the Declaration of lina, as sketched by the hand of murder in Our former Judicial system was the her legislative halls. Read in another col-

> and traveling expenses, and the subordinthe duty of the chief to prepare and for-

It is to be presumed that the Governor ward to each man appointed a member of will soon try his hand on the removal of this force a printed copy of the rules prevote by appointing the electors themselves. your municipal officers. Well, you have scribed to govern his conduct." This army We have no doubt these men will stop good lawyers in your city, and why not is called a "police." Their badges are at no outrage to secure the Southern vote have recourse to the Court? But alas, called "police badges." Their powers are what can be expected from a bench, the called "police powers," etc. Are no brass incumbents whereof, with a few exeptions, collars to be provided for these policemen North are vanishing. Their awkward were elected as the ceatures of the party to weld around the necks of subject citizens, inscribed with a master's name ?-May the people still have fire in their dwellings after a designated hour at night? Is there no curfew bell to mark in mercy the is the Saxou Harold, where is the Hastings,

m ment for silence and darkness? Who and whence comes the Norman Conqueror, that men whose fathers from the rocks of

hundred years ago in England? "Rules" are to be prescribed to govern lected by the Governor. Those rules must supplant the common law, the statutes of the State, its constitution, old and new, the laws of the United States, and the very Constitution of the nation, in the State of North Carolina. How else could it be ?-That code would reflect and embody the son, Osborne, Purdie, Richardson, Robsystem thus created, in which there is not a bins, Sweet, Welker and Wynne. right in the State which the Governor, his officers of this force, or the men themselves can be compelled by any citizen to ments offered. respect. It is a new government for the State of North Carolina. It is potentially organic, fundamental, and paramount. The sovereignty of the people would be vested in this select body. If they should crown their Governor with a crown, clothe him in purple, put a sceptre in his hand. grant titles of nobility to the chiefs and captains, they would change the substance clothing changes the tissues of the body. If it were according to the manners of the lina invite Prince Alfred to reign a king &c. over her? From the clutches of a barbarism thus vested with her sovereignty, under the mercy, the tolerance, and the estracism and "crucifixion" to which they she prefer, to a control of Christianized He asserted that there were not five respecbeings, the unrestrained violence of bar- table white men in the county of Franklin, baric negroes? Shall a State of this Union stand between alternatives so disgusting? Has she no right to a republican form of cognize him when he returned home, &c., Has she no right to a republican form of government? Have we no right to require &c. its restoration? Shall we tolerate in our bosom a system of government that affronts the nineteenth century and proscribes all civilization? Shall the King of Dahomey seize and govern one of the United States? This is what that would be a figure of. And this is a reconstructed State! The

iniquitous and unconscionable demagogues who govern the Houses of Congress have finished the work of restoring this State to its "practical relations to the Union," and such is the "State from which they receive so-called Representatives. They say that North Carolina now is the same to the Union that Ohio or New York is.

People of the United States, is any one of you still in doubt? These shameless imposters told you they were securing, approved. through three long and distressing years of Southern misrale, republican govern- Seymour, Hendricks, Morrill and Long, of ments for those States; and this is the Chatham. work they have done! They bring into membership of the Union, instead of a republican State government, an organized conspirarcy against civil order; a combination of arms against liberty and property; an association of abandoned outlaws and negro savages, for the purpose of punishing civiliza-tion as a crime in North Carolina. Behold their work. Mark it for destruction, and vote for your age, your country, and your

Eugenie's waist measures just seventeen

troleum. The place for red currants-the Red

The pacer "Fearless" has been sold for

An Ohio sexton dug his own grave the

From the Raleigh Sentinel ASSEMBLY OF NORTH

BY AUTHORITY OF CONGRESS.

gro,) Senator from Halifax.

disposed of as follows, viz:

Grants;" passed its second reading.

ferred to the Committee on Finance.

throughout the State; adopted.

who may be chosen hereafter."]

3, with 20 cts. mileage.

Western North Carolina Railroad; re-

the counties for which they are chosen. -

A bill to extend the Chatham Railroad

from Caswell county.

o'clock.

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FIRST SESSION. SENATE.

INTRODUCTION OF RESOLUTIONS.

FRIDAY, July 24, 1868.

The Senate was called to order at 10 of year 38, navs 45. The further discussion of the matter was Prayer by the Rev. Henry Eppes, (ne-

postponed, on motion of Estes, until Wed. nesday next. By Pearson: A bill in regard to the Wil

mington, Charlotte and Rutherford R. R. the Hon. Bedford Brown, Senator elect On motion of Mr. Lassiter, they were

On motion of Ingram, it was ordered to referred to the Committee of Investigation. be printed.

By Mr. Sweet: A resolution authorizing ing a special Court in Newbern. Referred. the Treasurer to negotiate a loan, not to By the same : A bill entitled "An act to exceed \$100,000, to supply a present deamend an act to provide for the qualifica. By Mr. Blythe: A resolution providing tion of officers.' for holding evening sessions, from and after

(The second section of the bill provide that the Treasurer and Register shall give bond in such sums as may be approved by The following bills came up and were the County Commissioners, as heratofore The bill passed its several readings, un-

A bill in relation to the late Courts of Equity; referred to the Committee on the A bill to amend chap. 42, sec. 6, of the the Senate. Revised Code, entitled "Entries and

A bill to change the time of listing and offices, to which persons were elected who ollecting the County and State taxes; reare banned by the Howard Amendment motion of Estes, ordered to be printed. A resolution instructing the Committee on Salaries and Fees to report a bill, fixing the salaries of Executive and Judicial offi-

Education to prepare and report a plan and | cers, \$3 per day for the pages and 20 cents The report was made the special order or 11 o'clock, on Wednesday next. A bill to increase the capital stock of the The bill organizing and arming a Mili-

Mr. Argo moved to postpone it, and A bill to require the Trustees for the make it the Special Order for 12 o'clock

postpone, and Ashworth opposed it. This bill was amended by inserting "those The motion was put to a vote and car Messrs. Osborne and Robbins argued

meaning of the Constitution, and therefore dy, was, on motion of Mr. Ferebee, taken up, and, on motion of Estes, referred to The bill, as amended, passed its second the Committee on Claims. A bill ratifying and confirming the Char- to admitting persons, without regard to

By Foster : A bill in regard to the cul-

the time for holding Superior Courts in A resolution was reported from the Joint committee on per diem and mileage, allow- Halifax. Lies over. By Gunter: A bill to prevent the distil-Members \$7, Doorkeepers \$7 and Pages lation of grain. Lies over.

Mr. Sweet moved to amend as follows: Speakers \$10, Clerks \$7, Members \$6," and strike out "Pages. Mr. Robbins moved to amend as folows: "Speakers \$8, Members \$5, Clerks

\$5. Doorkeepers \$5," and strike out Mr. Shoffner was in favor of \$12 for Speakers, \$8 for Members, and other offi-

Mr. Cook offered to amend by allowing Speakers \$15, Members \$4, Clerks \$8 and \$7, Doorkeepers \$6 and \$5, and Pages

Mr. Rich moved to amend by allowing Speakers \$12, Members \$8, Clerks \$8, Door-

Speakers \$8, Clerks \$6, Members \$5, Doorkeepers \$5, and 20 cents mileage. ost, and the report of the committee was and third readings. rejected by the following vote:

Those who voted in the affirmative are an Assistant Clerk. Lies over. Messrs. Bellamy, Brogden, Etheridge,

Those who voted in the negative are Messrs. Barnes, Burns, Blythe, Colgrove, give to Clerks of townships the power to Cooke, Davis, Eaves, Forkner, Hayes, Hyman, negro, Jones, of Wake, Lindsay, Lassiter, Moore, of Yancey, Melchor, Ma- was, on motion, referred to the Committee

Several hours were consumed in the dis-

Frank Blair was elected, he would disband | House then adjourned. this body, and he wanted pay enough to have something to get out of the State before he was "assassinated." So far as liberal per diem being unpopular was concerned, it was a matter of no consequence. The Republican party was strong enough to carry any measure through—that is the of their soverign powers no more than men folks, not the women. When the opposite party were in power, they enjoyed the spoils, and he was in favor of following age, the outward insignia and titular dis- suit. During those times when they had tinctions of majesty and nobility would the rains, he had been charged double fare undoubtedly soon follow the actual inaugu- on railroads, when Conservatives where ration of such a system. May North Caro- riding on the same train without charge,

Mr. Wynne also addressed the Senate in favor of a liberal per diem, and contended more revolting than to be a conquest of a that Republican members should have horde of cannibals, may she take refuge some compensation for the proscription, self-respect of, at least, gentlemen? Must were subjected, socially and otherwise.—

Note.—The Reporter despairs of being able to report Mr. Wynne. His feelings were overpowered and he-wept. The discussion was also participated in by Messrs. Osborne, Robbins, Sweet, Shoffner and Cook.

Without coming to any definite conclusion in the matter of fixing per diem, &c., the Senate adjourned.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES. BY UNDERGROUND RAILROAD. FRIDAY, July 24, 1868. The House was called to order at the

usual time.

Prayer by the Rev. H. T. Hudson, of the Methodist Church of this city. Journals of the last two days read and Leaves of absence were granted to Estes,

abilities" have been removed, appeared ernments, passed by the General Assembly and was graciously allowed to qualify and for distribution.

take his seat. The Chairman of the committee on Enolment reported the bill in relation to the qualification of officers recently elected, as properly enrolled.

reported back several bills, which were the Committee on Frinting, and the referput on the calendar without being read. A message was received from the Sen-An Italian inventor makes gas from pe- ate, transmitting the following bills and of Wilmington came up, and was amended, resolutions which had passed that body, on motion of A. H. Galloway, (negro,) as

and asking the concurrence of the House follows: "The Governor shall appoint in the same, namely: An act for the relief of Willis Grandy; An act in relation to issuing marriage Lumber and Staves.'

A resolution in regard to the selection of a site for the State Penitentiary;

ment, with an amendment, striking out the words "if practicable." Mr. Bowman moved to concur in the

Senate mendment. Upon the motion the yeas and nays were called for and had.

The motion to concur prevailed by a vote of yeas 48, nays 40.

Mr. Bowman moved to reconsider the

The yeas and nays were called for and had, and the motion was rejected by a vote

Mr. Osborne presented the credentials of

By Seymour : A bill to provide for town ships. Referred. By the same : A bill in regard to hold

der a suspension of the rules, and was or. dered to be engrossed and transmitted to Estes called up Senate bill No. 38 This bill provides for filling vacaucies in

After some discussion, the bill was, or Laffin, from the joint committee on was diem and mileage, reported that the committee had agreed on \$10 per day for the A resolution instructing the Board of Speaker, \$7 per day for members and offi-

tary Police, in each county, was called up ferred to the Committee on Internal Im- as the Special Order.

University of North Carolina to reside in on Wednesday next. Mr. Gatling supported the motion to

Senate bill for the relief of W. S. Grau. that the amendment was contrary to the

places of amusement, and into all convey ances of common carriage. Lies over. was made the special order for Tuesday ture of grapes. Lies over. By Hutchings, (negro) : A bill to change

The bill to prevent the distillation of

grain was taken up and put on its third On motion of Mr. Pou, it was postponed until the third Monday in November

Senate bill appointing Clerks of Superior Courts to take privy examination of former covert was next taken up. Stevens moved to amend, so as to allow any two Magistrates to take the examina-

tion. After discussion, the bill, with the proposed amendment, was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary. A bill to compel the attendance of witnesses in certain cases, and giving Judges Mr. Davis moved to amend by allowing and Solicitors the power to make requisi

tions on Governors of other States for witnesses that are non-residents of this State, All of the foregoing amendments were was next reached and passed its second By Mr. Sinclair: A resolution to employ

The bill transmitted from the Senate, in Eppes, negro, Galloway, negro, Long, Mar-tindale, Moore, of Carteret, Rich, Respass, ses, was called up and passed its second

Mr. Bowman moved to amend, so as to The bill, with the proposed amendment.

on the Judiciary. By Stevens: A bill to repeal that provision in the Revised Code, that provides cussion of this resolution and the amend- that thirty days' notice shall be given in contested elections. Lies over. A. H. Galloway, negro, said if General | On motion of Justice, of Rutherford, the

> SENATE. SATURDAY, July 25, 1868.

The Senate was called to order at 10 Prayer by the Rev. Mr. Blythe, Senator from Henderson.

REPORTS OF COMMITTEES.

Mr. Forkner, from the Committee on Internal Improvement, to whom was referred a bill authorizing the Air Line Rail road Company in South Carolina, to construct and extend their Road in this State. proposed amendments, which were adopted. and the bill passed its final reading by the following vote: Ayes 26, Nays 5. By the same: A bill confirming the charter of the Northwestern North Carolina Railroad Company; reported favora-

INTRODUCTION OF BILLS. By. Mr. Moore, of Carteret : A bill proof the Revised Code. (This bill authori zes the Governor, when he may think i necessary, to appoint a Commissioner of Wrecks. By Mr. Welker: A bill to limit the lia-

bilities of Sheriffs. By the same : A bill to regulate capital executions. (This bill provides that executions shall be conducted privately. By Mr. Osborne: A bill to amend the charter of the Atlantic, Tennessee and Ohio Railroad Co.

By Mr. Cook : A bill providing for the organization of the State Militia. Mr. Cook moved a suspension of the rules, so as to let the bill pass its second reading, simply by reading the title of bill, as its length would consume much

The motion was lost, and the bill was referred to the Committee on Military Alfairs, under a suspension of the rules. By Mr. Hayes: A resolution propositi to print two thousand copies of each bill Mr. Grier, of Mecklenburg, whose "dis- relative to county offices and county gos

> An amendment reducing the number to one thousand was accepted. Messrs, Osborne, Robbins, Welker and Lassiter opposed the resolution.

The President decided that all matters Estes, from the committee on Finance, relating to printing should be referred to ence was made. A bill concerning inspection for the city

> seven Inspectors of Naval Stores, Shingles and Wood, four Inspectors of Timber. Galloway stated that these suggestions

were made by the old Board of Inspector and merchants of the city, and he would The joint resolution in regard to adjourn- state for the information of the Senate

CAROLINA.

Mr. Ellis moved to lay the motion on